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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 3, 2005, reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.